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Board of Trade Luncheon

On Monday night the Board of Trade held its monthly luncheon and meeting that was of considerable interest to the district. The attendance of 75 was not large for an occasion of this kind.

After singing "O Canada" Geo. Lem served the luncheon in the usual way.

Mr. McMillan, President of the Board, stated that this luncheon was complimentary to Mr. F. Colleent & Son, the Village Council, the School Board and the Rural Municipal Council of Rosebud.

The program of vocal and instrumental music was made possible by Mrs. Winnung, Mr. Goldie, Mrs. Goldie, and Mrs. Chas. Yule of Cartwright, daughter of the principal speaker of the evening.

Mr. Winnung, chairman of the Entertainment Committee introduced Professor W. L. Carlyle, manager of the E. P. Ranch, owned by H. R. H. The Prince of Wales.

The Professor gave a very interesting talk on the part the Royal Family has taken in the livestock industry of Great Britain, and which the Prince has carried out at his Alberta ranch.

Mr. Carlyle also extended a very pressing invitation to the Board of Trade to visit the ranch next summer.

Dr. O. H. Patrick, President of the Calgary Board of Trade, gave a historical outline of cattle, going back to the early ages of history.

J. H. McDowell, a Vice-President of the Calgary Board of Trade and G. H. Comely, chairman of the Membership Committee of the Calgary Board also spoke briefly. Our junior past President, G. G. Huser and our worthy Secretary, T. Tredaway, made short speeches.

U. F. A. Locals Amalgamate

All the U. F. A. Locals in the Crossfield district have been amalgamated and henceforth will be known as the Crossfield District U. F. A. Jas. Aldred was elected President; O. E. Jones, Vice-President and J. R. Laut, Sec-Treas.

The membership fee has been reduced from \$3.00 a year to \$1.25 a year. \$1.00 going to the Central office and 25 cents is retained by the Local.

Meetings will be held in the U. F. A. hall on the first Saturday in each month at two o'clock.

Annual Meeting East Com. Hall

The annual meeting of East Community Hall will be held in the hall on Friday next, February 24th, at 8 p.m. Officers for the coming year will be elected, following this cards will be played to which all are invited. No admission.

OFF TO A GOOD START

The special prize list for the School Fair is headed by the donation from Mr. A. J. Hole of Airdrie, of a Suffolk ewe lamb for the boy or girl winning the most points in the livestock classes.

Calico Dance, March 17

Keep in mind the U.F.W.A. St. Patrick's Calico Dance in East Community Hall on March 17th. Prizes for best calico dresses. Music by the Melody Boys.

U. F. W. A. Meeting, March 8th

The regular monthly meeting of the floral Local U. F. W. A. will be held at the home of Mrs. W. W. Stafford on Wed. March 8th, at three o'clock.

Roll call—"Household Cleaning Hints."

East Community Hop, March 3

The next dance in East Community hall will be on Friday, March 3rd. Music by the Melody Boys Orchestra.

Oh, yes, if you wait long and patiently enough something will turn up—if only your toes.

Annual Meeting Municipal District of Rosebud

The annual meeting of the ratepayers of the Municipal District of Rosebud was held in the U. F. A. hall, Crossfield on Saturday 18th. Mr. Geo. Huser was appointed chairman.

The Reeve intimated that the Council had received a letter from Mr. W. McIlroy resigning his position as Secretary-Treasurer owing to disability, and the Council had accepted with regret. The Secretary was instructed to write to Mr. McIlroy, expressing the appreciation of the ratepayers for his long and faithful service to the Municipality.

The Reeve was called on to explain various items of the financial statement which was discussed in detail.

The necessity for some action to destroy gophers was emphasized by some of the ratepayers and several good suggestions submitted.

Nominations

In Division 6, H. L. Davis was re-elected.

In Division 1, H. T. Stewart and J. L. Crawford were nominated.

In Division 3, George Murdoch and A. Melling were nominated.

Mr. Crawford later withdrew his nomination and Returning Officer, Frank Purvis, declared Mr. Stewart re-elected by acclamation.

The election in Division 3 will take place on Saturday, February 25th. The poll will be open in the Municipal office from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Baptists Plan to Build Church in Crossfield

The annual meeting of the Crossfield Regular Baptist Church was held last Friday, Feb. 17.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted.

The congregation now numbering around seventy, it was decided to have a church built in town here.

P. C. Griffiths was appointed treasurer of the church building fund. Construction will probably be commenced some time in March.

Local Bonspiel

J. P. Winnung won the Consolidation event on Saturday night, defeating C. H. McMillan by a score of 10-9.

Honored, T. Muir, Harry McMillan, J. P. Winnung, skip 10
Evan Gordon, Geo. McCaskill, Carl Becker, C. H. McMillan, skip 9

Glen Williams and Gordon Purvis will meet in the finals of the Grand Challenge.

Community Sale Tuesday, March 14

The annual Crossfield Community Sale will be held on March 14. List your livestock, implements, furniture, etc. with Thos. Tredaway.

Bush League Elect Officers

A meeting of the Bush League was held at Dog Pound on Feb. 18. The following teams were represented: Dog Pound, Bottrel, Cremona, Atkins and Water Valley.

Officers elected:

President, Geo. Day.
Vice-President, Wm. Tidball.
Secretary, E. R. Hepper

It is expected to have a six team league this year with Dog Pound, Madden, Bottrel, Cremona, Atkins and Water Valley.

The Cheese Factory

The Public Affairs Committee of the Board of Trade have received further communication from Mr. Webster that he will be in Crossfield district next week to canvass the farmers in connection with starting a cheese factory here.

Hardware for March

Fully Guaranteed, double ply

Rawhide Halters - - - 98c

1 inch Hame Straps, each - - - 15c

1 inch Line Snaps, per dozen - - 39c

Curry Comb and Brush, per set - 39c

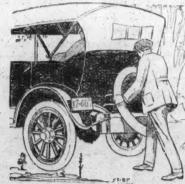
Galvanized Wash Boilers, each - \$2.98

No. 2 Galvanized Wash Tubs, each 98c

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Cast Iron Fry Pans, each - - - 69c

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Population Of World Shows A Steady Increase According To The League Of Nations

The Statistical Department of the League of Nations has been counting noses, and gives the figure of the world's population, as at the end of 1931, at about two billion twelve million eight hundred thousand.

More than half of these people live in Asia. In fact, it is the most populous continent, having an excess of some 252 million inhabitants over all the other continents combined. Asia also has the most rapid increase in population in comparison with other parts of the world.

Europe, for the first time in history, has more than half a billion peoples. On the first of January, 1932, the figure representing its population was greater than 500 millions. The figure for the same date, 1931, was 498 millions.

The North and South American continents were inhabited by some 252 millions of persons at the end of 1931—an increase of four millions over the year previous.

The vast continent of Africa counts scarcely 142 millions of inhabitants. And interesting to note, this figure, for 1931, is two million less than for 1930. This is the only decrease recorded by any of the continents.

Australia, the remaining continent, supported but ten millions of people at the end of 1931.

Some of the statistics given for the major countries of Europe are interesting: Russia, 127 millions in 1931 against 124 millions in 1930; Germany, 64 millions, with no great advance in growth; Great Britain, 40 millions, no increase; France, 42 millions, an increase of 640,000 over 1930; Italy, 41 millions, a decrease of 400,000; Poland, 32 millions, an increase of a million; Spain, 24 millions, an increase of a million.

The world's population is increasing. That fact is one that has ramifying implications, and if the growth continues at the present rate, within less than half a century it will be one of the most pressing problems that will have to be dealt with.

Fertilizing Pasture Lands

Best Results Obtained When Continuous Grazing Is Practised

Pasture land fertilized at the rate of 475 pounds per acre of a complete fertilizer was able to carry 21.5 cows to the acre when continuous grazing was practised. The same kind of land similarly fertilized, but grazed rotationally, was able to carry only 1.7 cows to the acre, and the same kind of land unfertilized and continuously grazed carried 1.40 cows to the acre. These results were obtained by the Dominion Department of Agriculture at the Experimental Farm, Nappan, N.S. In practice the number of cows varied from week to week according to the condition of growth; and by careful calculation dependable results were obtained. In addition to the pasture the cows received a grain ration at a rate consistent with the amount of milk given. The field used in this experiment had been in use as pasture for most of the twenty-five years it had been in sod.

The results of this experiment go to show a saving of 1.1 pounds of meal per cow per day on the fertilized rotationally grazed area and 1.96 pounds on the fertilized continuously grazed area, as compared with the unfertilized area.

Losing Their Manners

Conversation In Some Homes Improved Since Radio Arrived

Has the radio developed a people with declining manners? It used to be considered the height of ill breeding, in the good old days, for anyone in the room to interrupt a conversation between guest and host, but those days are gone forever in radio homes, where it is very common for some one thoughtlessly, by design, to turn on the radio and get a leather-lunged audience bellowing bally-hoo, or a singer screaming the latest jazz song to the utter disruption of conversation on any subject. And it would be insulting the whole family if one made an observation on this utter lack of good manners.

"You only married me because my aunt left me some money."

Nothing of the kind, I'd have married you regardless of who had left it to you."

Glasgow, Scotland, plans to provide recreational and educational facilities for its unemployed.

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Toy Bank Sales Increase

Those That Refuse To Open Were Among Best Sellers

The depression has brought millions of coins out of the sock and into the Tom Thumb savings bank.

More than four and a half million toy coin depositories were sold in the United States in 1932, a 70 per cent. increase over 1929, according to a survey of the American toy industry.

Those that refuse to release deposits until five or ten dollars accumulate led in popularity last year. The vogue for saving inspired many new designs, including banks that register five different kinds of coins and hold as much as \$75. Fancy chromed plated banks gave a fashion note to thrif.

Banks with combinations like safes and banks that combined cash register attachments were favored by children for playing store. But the adult resolution to save is credited with the popularity of banks that refuse to open.

The manufacturers of toy banks estimate that nine out of ten are broken into after two years. So the industry counts on a large replacement business in spite of lifetime guarantees against all mishaps except forcible entry.



By Ruth Rogers



A YOUTHFUL MODEL THAT'S ADORABLY SMART AND WEARABLE TOO

Very simple is this smart day dress. Yet it is exceedingly well balanced and becoming, which makes it suited to the average full figure as well as youth.

And it is such a delightful little dress to slip into for general day wear.

Dark blue crinkly wool crepe made the original. The collar is white rough crepe silk. The bone buttons and leather belt are contrasting.

Printed on plain crinkly crepe silk and angora woolen weaves are splendid mediums for this model.

It can also be made with long sleeves.

Size No. 515 is designed for sizes bust, 36, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inches bust.

Size 16 requires 3½ yards 39-inch width, 1 yard 39-inch contrasting.

Price of pattern 20 cents in stamps or coin (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

How To Order Patterns

Address: Winnipeg Newspaper Union, 175 McDermott Ave., Winnipeg

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Name.

Town.

THE NEW MISSIONARY



(The British Government's war debt mission arrives to "talk it over" with the United States on war debts).—Strube in the Daily Express, London.

Size Of Ranch Flocks

Income Received Is Affected By Number Of Breeding Ewes

The number of breeding ewes per ranch is an outstanding factor affecting the income received by range sheepmen in Alberta and Saskatchewan, according to an economic survey of the range sheep industry conducted during the past three years by the Agricultural Economics Branch and Experimental Farms Branch of the Federal Department of Agriculture. In analysing the relation of size of business to income, the records of 40 ranches were grouped according to the number of breeding ewes per ranch: 11 ranches had under 500 breeding ewes; 25 between 500 and 1,000; 18 between 1,000 and 1,499; 17 between 1,500 and 1,999; 5 between 2,000 and 2,499; 4 between 2,500 and 2,999; and 7 ranches had over 3,000 breeding ewes. Ranchers who had less than 500 breeding ewes obtained an average ranch income of \$441, whereas those who had between 1,500 and 2,000 breeding ewes secured \$2,022. The income per ranch was thus found to increase with an increase in the number of breeding ewes until the size group 2,000 to 2,499 was reached and from this point declined, indicating that these sheep ranchers who had between 1,500 and 2,000 breeding ewes had about the right balance between the number of ewes, amount of range, labor and equipment per ranch.

A Discriminating Buyer

British Consumer Is Most Particular When Purchasing Poultry

What is the secret of the success in the British market? Mr. W. J. Brown, of the Dominion Department of Agriculture, learned that the British consumer is a discriminating buyer. Mr. Brown concludes from his observations and interviews with market men that five essential points have to be observed in the building up of a satisfactory trade in the British market: (1) High standard of quality; (2) Absolute uniformity in grading; (3) Proper weights with a minimum of tolerance; (4) Attractive display, including both packages and individual birds; (5) Delicacy of quality and flavor that is pleasing to the consumer.

The experiment has been carried on by the Michigan Agricultural College, and it has been found that after forty years buried in this seeds of Black Medick, Peppergreen, Pigweed, Ragweed, Wild Primrose, Common Plantain, Purslane, and Curled Dock germinated vigorously.

These remarkable results led the Dominion Agriculturalist to ask the question "Who knows how long weed seeds will last?"

Smallest and Smallest Length

The greatest length actually measured is that from the earth to the most distant known nebula, or about 140,000,000 light years. The smallest known length is the estimated diameter of the nucleus of a hydrogen atom set down as a little more than one-million-billionth of an inch.

Only Half College-Bred

Half of the 55 sires of the Declaration of Independence were college-bred; 16 had "classical" educations; 2 were instructed entirely by tutors; and 16 had very little learning.

That Ladder of Mine Out in the Garage is cracked!

An alarm clock that makes tea before rousing its possessor has been patented in England.

Young man, my daughter says you're planning to elope with her, and I want to give you fair warning."

"Well, sir, what is it?"

"That ladder of mine out in the garage is cracked!"

As a result of the congestion it causes to traffic the annual Lord Mayor's Show in London may be abandoned.

EX-KING'S EXILED COUSIN RELATED EXPERIENCES



Don Alfonso de Bourbon, Marquise de Squaliache and cousin of the ex-king of Spain, is shown (left), relating to a journalist the experiences which he and twenty-eight monarchist prisoners suffered after escaping from the Spanish penal settlement of Villa Cisneros in West Africa. These monarchist leaders travelled across the Atlantic from Africa to Portugal in a thirty-ton vessel and suffered many privations in the 1,000-mile trip.

Cost Of Operating And Maintaining Port Of Churchill Will Always Be Very Moderate

No Latchkey Needed

Always a Door-Man At Number Ten Downing Street

However late the hour, Premier Ramsay MacDonald and members of his family never have to worry about being locked out of their London home.

For No. 10 Downing St., home of England's premier and the most famous house in London, is claimed to be the only private residence in the capital to which no one needs a latchkey.

Thanks to David Lloyd George, war-time premier, "10 Downing" has a door attendant night and day, and there is always a doorman at the entrance.

When Lloyd George came into power and took up residence at Downing St., there was a little wooden knob, hardly perceptible, on the door near the knocker, and by pulling the knob a string immediately attached to it caused the latch and the callender entered.

This simple village method did not appeal to Lloyd George, especially in war-time, and instructions were given for the door to be manned night and day.

Up to the first year of the war it would have been possible for any stranger to have pulled the latch and entered the premier's residence, but nowadays every visitor is carefully scrutinized and asked his business before being permitted to enter even one of the ante-rooms.

The Chicken Of Today

The Old Red Hen Ain't What She Used To Be

The old red hen "ain't what she used to be," Professor J. C. Graham, head of the poultry department of the Massachusetts State College, said recently.

The chicken of today is forced into early maturity and is kept operating at a speed which would have killed her 1,000 ancestor. In the old days a chicken was born and a few days later she was out in the yard tugging at worms. Now many of the incubating chicks never get out of a building until their laying days are over.

Back a few years ago the ordinary hen laid laying at eight to 10 months, but now the poultry man has hastened things along so that he expects them to be laying at five to seven months.

A Promising Trade

Great Britain Offers Cattle Market For Canadian Cattle-Breeders

According to the United Kingdom Trade Commission, a promising trade in cattle feedstuffs is in progress in the British market. In the January 21st issue of the Commercial Intelligence Journal it is stated that the importation of cattle feeds, consisting of bran and other flour milling offal, from Canada is comparatively new, beginning in 1931 when Canadian shipments rose from practically nil to 22,263 tons (2,240 lbs.). From this amount 6,000 tons were shorts and middlings, and the remainder bran. According to this report Great Britain imports about 300,000 tons of these products annually, chiefly from foreign countries, Empire countries producing only some 76,000 tons in 1932.

Smallest New Testaments

One Used In Australia For Swearing-In Witnesses

The two smallest New Testaments in the world are believed to be in Australia. One belongs to Major Jones, chief of the Commonwealth Investigation Branch. It is less than three-quarters of an inch long and half an inch wide, and is used for swearing-in witnesses.

The other Testament has been presented to the Commonwealth National Library by Mr. Hubert Hesse, of Essex, England. Its measurements are: length, three-quarters of an inch; width, five-eighths of an inch; thickness, a quarter of an inch.

White Bread Forbidden

White bread will be forbidden, until next harvest, to soldiers, policemen, and boarders in schools and colleges in Rumania. Instead, they will receive rye bread or maza.

One liner carried 10,000 bags of Christmas mail from Britain to America in December.

Owing to natural breakwaters the cost of operating and maintaining the port of Churchill will always be moderate whether the traffic be heavy or light. D. W. McLachlan, engineer-in-charge of the Hudson Bay terminus, told the Engineering Institute of Canada at the concluding session of its annual meeting at Ottawa.

Natural breakwaters or jetties at the entrance to Churchill harbor, he explained, direct the tidal currents so that they perform a perpetual service by their scouring action in keeping the harbor from filling up. There are no wide tidal flats or currents to deal with.

The expenditure to date chargeable to the Churchill development amounts to about \$13,372,896, stated Mr. McLachlan. With work still to be done the net cost of completion will be about \$15,800,000. The net cost, according to Mr. McLachlan, would scale down to \$12,500,000 if the dredging plant can be sold for half its original cost and if allowance is made for an amount of \$625,000 incurred through taking over plant formerly charged to the works at Port Nelson.

The further work required to complete the initial developments at Churchill, Mr. McLachlan said consists of one season's dredging with one dredge; an additional season's work in connection with covering the water supply pipe; a small amount of work connected with water supply intake; extension of elevator tracks; and some further sheeting of the face of the deep water dock.

The water supply of Churchill was one of the unique features of the development. Provision of water for locomotives, ships and camp generally was a difficult matter as there were no natural water sites. The plan was to excavate a reservoir at Grassy Slough, three and a half miles from the docks, having a capacity of 17,000,000 gallons. A pumping station and tank were provided and a 10-inch pipe line carries the water across the country to another tank within the townsite of Churchill.

Ruling On Cattle Export

Puts Canadian Exporters On Equal Footing With Competitor

The United Kingdom agreement, as now ratified, puts Canadian cattle exporters on an equal footing with their competitors in the British market, for the first time in thirty-seven years. The segregation of store cattle from fat cattle moving on export is no longer required. Fat and store cattle are allowed to move freely to inland points, with the understanding that female cattle must be of a quality and type satisfactory to the British Ministry of Agriculture. Chick branding is no longer required to accompany the cattle on the ocean voyage. These concessions are part of a bilateral agreement arrived at by the respective governments at the Imperial Economic Conference, and under which Canada recognizes the London Quarantine Station, according to conditions laid down in the agreement—Department of Agriculture.

A Powerful Engine

Practically Runs Itself and Replenishes Its Boiler Fire

The Super-Mountain, declared to be the most powerful railway engine in the world, has just been completed at the works of the French State Railways in Sotteville-Rouen. It will develop 2,500 horsepower. The engine practically runs itself, nearly all control being automatic. It even replenishes its boiler fire with requisite amounts of coal when necessary.

The Largest Organ

The latest organ in the world is in a cathedral in Liverpool, England. The instrument has five divisions, 222 draw knobs, 168 stops and 10,931 pipes. It is played by electro-pneumatic action, the mechanism being driven by motors with a total of 35 horsepower.

"You crossed a carrier pigeon with a parrot?"

"Yes, so that if the bird lost its way it could inquire."—Gazzettino Illustrato (Venice).

Canada's two largest lakes, wholly within Canadian territory are Great Bear Lake and Great Slave Lake, of which the first is the larger.



WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

No consideration has been given to the matter of establishment of a national wheat marketing board, Prime Minister R. B. Bennett stated in the House of Commons.

Conditions on United Kingdom staple markets are on the whole dull and sales discouraging, according to information received by the Dominion Department of Agriculture.

Canada will have no official Scout contingent at the 1933 world Scout Jamboree at Godollo, Hungary, in August, it was decided by Dominion Scout Headquarters.

Planning to establish a beet sugar refining plant, A. D. Blaauwber, Amsterdam, Holland, who is associated with one of the world's largest such factories, has arrived in Winnipeg.

The Japanese imperial parliament approved, by a standing vote, the largest budget in the history of the nation, totaling \$2,239,000,000 yen (about \$480,000,000).

The report of unclaimed bank balances in the Bank of Commerce by Hon. E. N. Rhodes, Minister of Finance, reveals that there is \$1,60,196.75 of unclaimed money in the banks throughout Canada.

According to special London cables to the New York Times, the admiralty has announced its first contract for fuel oil extracted from British coal had been placed with a British firm.

Use of intravenous injections of the colloidal solution of metallic arsenic have proved successful in the treatment of bone sarcoma, one of the most terrible types of cancer, according to the Canadian Medical Association Journal.

A favorable report on the treaty with Canada for construction of the gigantic St. Lawrence waterway and power project has been voted by a United States Senate foreign relations sub-committee.

Improvement In Indian Home Life

Western Indians Fast Adopting Modern Methods Of Living

The erection of comfortable and more commodious dwellings during the last few years has been a feature in the growth of civilizing influences among the Indians of the Prairie Provinces of Canada according to the Department of Indian Affairs. These new homes provide many conveniences and the light and ventilation that was lacking in the old—a healthier environment for the children. The new condition has encouraged the owners to appreciate the value of additional pursuits to augment their sources of livelihood such as the cultivation of gardens, the raising of chickens and in some instances pigs, and turning their attention to milking and even to the art of butter making.

Booking Clerk at small station)—"You'll have to change twice before you get to York."

Villager (unused to travelling): Goodness me! And I've only brought the clothes I'm standing up in."

The largest railway engine built in Europe, weighing 280 tons and capable of pulling 2,500 tons, left the Gorton Works, Manchester, of Messrs. Beyer, Peacock and Co., Ltd., for Russia.



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Elk Spoil Orchard Crops In Okanagan

Had To Be Trapped When Fruit Growers Complained

British Columbia's elk are to be conserved, but so are orchardists' crops. These twin considerations have been giving provincial authorities some concern.

"We'll get rid of the elk," said provincial game wardens when fruit growers in the Okanagan country complained that the herds were spoiling their crops. But they did not get rid of them in the time-honored custom. Instead they trapped them.

Special corrals were built at various points in the orchard country, corrals big enough to enclose 60 animals at a time. So far only a few elk have been captured, but the game wardens hope to capture most of the animals before spring.

More than 400 elk are in the Okanagan country now, the offspring and descendants of a batch of 25 elk liberated there about seven years ago. They multiplied faster than game officials expected, and in some of the more settled areas have become a serious menace to fruit men.

The trapped elk are being transported by railroad to the wide east of Princeton and liberated there.

Used New Technique For Delicate Operation

Discovery Made Removal Of Tumor From Brain Possible

Operation on the brain for the removal of a tumor, performed recently in London Hospital, has been pronounced a success, and the patient is recovering and his sight has been restored. It is considered one of the most delicate surgical feats ever performed. Discovery of a new technique made it possible.

The patient, a school teacher, was going blind as a result of the tumor, which was in an almost inaccessible spot, and eventually would have spread to other parts of the brain. Five doctors, headed by Dr. H. W. L. Cains, of the London Hospital, spent all day in the operation. By means of diathermic current the tissues of the brain were completely broken through to get to the tumor. By the new technique the current gradually went through the cells, breaking them, but healing them again as it passed on its way to the base of the trouble.



By Ruth Rogers



527
IMPORTANT JACKET MODE FOR SPRING FOR SPORTS AND SPECTATOR SPORTS

The separate jacket seems to be taking the leadership for sports and spectator sports

It promises to be a real favorite for spring.

A variety of material suggest themselves for this attractive model—satin, silk, mink fur, gay tweeds and plain monotone worsteds.

It's exceedingly simple to make it and takes only 2½ yards of 38-inch material and 2½ yards of 36-inch lining for the 16-year size.

Style No. 527 is designed in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26 and 38 inches bust.

It's an opportunity! You'll find it the most useful thing in your wardrobe.

Price of pattern 20 cents in stamps or coins (coin is preferred). Wrap coin carefully.

How To Order Patterns

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Pattern No. Size.

Name.

Town.

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The Itinerant Salesman

Takes Money Which Never Gets Back Into Local Circulation

"Madam, we can sell you these much more cheaply than any local merchant. We have no expensive store rent to pay, we do no advertising in the daily papers, we have no overhead for trucks and deliveries so we can sell you at least twenty-five per cent cheaper than the stores down town."

This is the argument of the itinerant salesman at the front door.

The very argument of the salesman is the best argument against him. If all business were done on the house-to-house plan, no stores would be rented, no advertising bought in local papers, no tax money collected to pay policemen, firemen, garbage collectors, street sweepers, paving, city lighting, and all other advantages of a properly conducted city government.

House-to-house salesmanship by out-of-town firms who contribute nothing toward the support of the town is a growing evil.

The lesson is not amiss for the families of professional men, as they too have to contend with the tendency of the local people to take their major operations, big law suits, fine architectural jobs, engineering projects and finer dental work to out-standing men in neighboring big cities.

Money spent in the home town is irretrievable money which the spender may get back at an early date. Money sent out of town is distant money, unlikely ever to get back into local circulation. —Kiwans Magazine.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

PRUNE MUFFINS

1 cup prunes.
1 egg.
3 tablespoons granulated sugar.
3 tablespoons melted shortening.
1 cup milk.
2½ cups flour (all purpose).
4 tablespoons baking powder.
½ teaspoon salt.

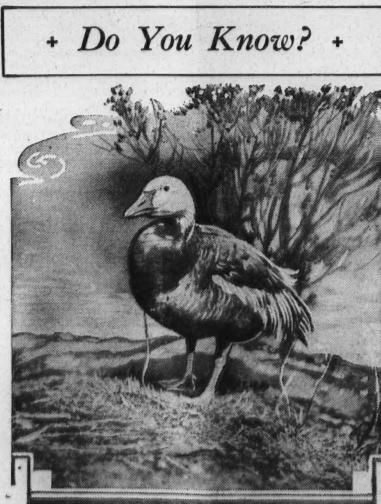
Bake prunes in water to cover 10 minutes, drain, remove pits, and cut prunes into pieces. Beat egg, add sugar, shortening, milk, and when well mixed combine with flour sifted with baking powder and salt. Add prune juice just enough to mix. Pour into greased muffin pan and bake about 25 minutes in a hot oven (425 degrees Fahrenheit).

FRIED MACARONI SLICES

(Makes 4 generous servings)
½ pound macaroni (elbow preferred).
2 eggs.
½ cup milk.
½ teaspoon salt.

Cook macaroni until tender. Then drain. Mix the macaroni, eggs, salt and milk. Press into a greased mold and bake in moderately hot oven (350 degrees Fahrenheit) for over one hour. Remove and when thoroughly cold, unmold, slice and fry to a golden brown. Serve with crisp bacon or ham for breakfast.

+ Do You Know? +



THAT although many years were spent in investigation it was not until 1929 that it was definitely established that the nesting place of the blue goose is on Baffin Island which lies north of the Hudson Straits and within the Arctic Circle? A photograph of the bird that led ornithologists such a chase is shown above.

CORRESPONDENCE.

STAMP OUT THE DEPRESSION

The Editor—May I have a little of your valuable space to put forward a plan which I developed about three months ago—a plan which if put into operation would, I feel sure, get business in western Canada out of the present depression and on to its feet again.

I would say at the outset that I am who believe that our present economic system is antiquated and should have been replaced ere this with one more in keeping with the needs of modern society. While I am not a radical, I am only a proponent as a prop to shore up our present business structure and save us from a total collapse until we have time to examine and repair the foundations of our present system of doing business.

There is no need to describe the present situation in western Canada, though it is frequently mentioned that we are much better off than other places. Yet the fact remains that because farm produce prices are so low the farmer has no purchasing power, and therefore there is no market for his products. They obey him. Han with them in a boat "even as He was." What an insight into the hubris of Jesus that this little phrase even as he was leaving the boat had been seared in his demands upon his physical strength, and he was utterly spent. Overcome by weariness, he lay down in the stern and fell into a sleep as the boat began to rock. The wind began to rise and the waves to roar, when the boat began to fill and the disciples cried out in their excitement. He still slept on.

"What awoke him here is that He had learned to relax," to use the language of today. No sooner was he up than he commanded His boat to sleep, and he lay down again. He obeyed him. Even as He lay down, though he was still exhausted, he used the cushion as His pillow. Some people break down because they have never learned to relax. Their work done, they cannot rest. It must be learned that when we are to work to the full, we must learn to drop the yoke swiftly and to rest with both mind and body. Jesus is an example in this also.—R. G. Gillis.

Suddenly there arose a great wind storm, and the waves came into the boat but he began to fill. There have always been sudden and violent storms on the Sea of Galilee. Experienced sailors thought they were, the disciples were frantic with fear. They had been battling with the elements long before they had come to Jesus. "Teacher, carest Thou not that we perish?" He arose and rebuked the wind, and said unto the waves: "Be still." The Greek word translated here is "murmured." He spoke to the sea as though to a raging animal. And when the wind ceased, and there was a great calm.

"Strong Pilot who at midnight hour Could calm the sea with gentle pow'r
Grant us the skill to set the bark
Of those who drift in storm and dark."
—Harry Webb Farrington.

"Why are ye fearful?" said Jesus questioned, "have ye not yet faith?" not yet, after having seen My power exercised so many times?"

Many a follower of Christ thinks he has faith, but his faith fails him in times of storm and stress. Then he needs to hear the Master saying, "Have ye not yet faith?" "A well-regulated life is a life that is well stored with information, and that knows exactly where to find each of its innumerable treasures. A well-regulated faith is a soul richly endowed with knowledge that knows exactly where to find it when occasion for its use arises."

"Well roars the storm to those who hear
A deeper voice across the storm?"

CHILDREN'S COLDS

CHECKED 2 WAYS
at once
without dosing!



Over 42 million jars used yearly.

moving, farmers are unable to pay taxes, interest or debts.

Some think business would refuse to accept these certificates but stamp and scrip money have been in use in two cities in Germany during the last year. It is now in 424 places in the United States and Canada recently. In some of these cases there has been no reserve at all at the back of the money, whereas in others the reserves man pointed out that in my plan there would always be fifty per cent of actual cash value in paper produced at the back of the certificates.

My plan is based on the principle of relating currency to commodities, it is one principle on which many of the world's economists are agreed.

I submitted my plan to Dr. Irving Fisher of Yale, the reply I received was very encouraging.

If the plan is adopted, it will allow the continent hundreds of farmers to dispose of their livestock such as pigs, sheep, and poultry. Many who now are behind with taxes and interests will be able to pay them off and further behind now fall thousands are now so discouraged that they are rapidly becoming a problem to our governments. It is high time that we started to do something about this situation. My plan may sound like a radical remedy but the situation is so critical that a radical remedy is needed. My plan would be better than debt reduction, it would be better than debt cancellation, it would be better than just debts is to pay them. Anything else will be unfair and very cumbersome to carry out.

My plan does not affect the farm products to move to market as usual without interfering with prices which are allowed on an export basis. It would still allow of feeding the unemployed children and clearing house certificates will dispose of the clearances which would be quickly absorbed by the greater volume of business which would result.

I would be very glad to have the opinion of our members and to receive criticism and suggestion with regard to my suggestion of how to stamp out the depression.—Colin H. Burnell, Oakville, Man.

Books Children Like

Tastes Indicated in Survey Conducted by London Teachers

What books are most popular among children? Teachers employed by an education authority in Greater London invited 1,000 boys and a similar number of girls to indicate their tastes. The result, published in the Teachers' World, was:

Boys, per cent, story books, 25; science books, 13; poetry books, 4; plays, 8; "how to make," 20; amusing books, 23; informative books, 8; Girls, per cent, story books, 23; science books, 2; poetry books, 11; plays, 20; "how to make," 12; amusing books, 24; informative books, 8.

The boys owned between them 11,155 books—an average of 11 each. The girls owned 14,171—an average of 14 books each.

Crafty Indian Peddlers

Knew How To Sell Their Wares In Belfast

Two peddlers from India followed their idea of salesmanship when they entered Belfast, Ireland, recently to dispose of rayon scarves. As they left a street where they took Orange flags from their pockets, put them in their buttonholes, and entered a street where all the residents were loyalists, they lowered under two loyalist arches they raised their hats. Within a short time they sold their complete stock of orange and purple scarves.

Oil has been found in Austria, the geographical formation resembling that in Texas.

Policemen may use call boxes which are to be established in Glasgow, Scotland, to order their meals.

NERVOUS WOMEN

Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

"If an go to the doctor, he will say 'Take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound'—and you will be well again." Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a tried and true medicine. For many years it has been the wonderful tonic to give them relief. For over 50 years it has been the favorite of women who are headed by this drug today... and watch the results.

NO LIFTING OF BAN ON LIQUOR EXPORTS TO U.S.

Ottawa, Ont.—While the United States senate was adopting a resolution to repeal the 18th amendment, the Canadian House of Commons decided against lifting the export ban on liquor shipments to the United States.

Premier R. B. Bennett and Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, leaders of the Conservatives and Liberals, united in opposing a bill sponsored by Col. S. C. Robinson (Cons., Essex West) to repeal the 1930 legislation which outlawed liquor exports to dry countries.

The bill was defeated 100 to 44, the members for the most part voting regardless of party affiliation. Two cabinet ministers voted for the bill. They were Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways, and Hon. Arthur Sauve postmaster-general. Of the 44 supporting the bill, 22 were Conservatives, 19 Liberals, two Labor and one Independent.

It was a principle of international law, to say nothing of international goodwill and neighborliness, said Premier Bennett, that no country should provide an opportunity for its own citizens to break the laws of another. The United States was still a dry country. Liquor still was considered contraband, and for Canada to legalize exports to that country would be a breach of international friendship.

The 1930 customs prohibition, the Prime Minister said, would not apply to liquor shipments to the United States the day that country repealed the 18th amendment.

The ban would not apply because the United States then would not be classed as a dry country.

Removal of the export ban was urged on several grounds—because Canada was losing millions of dollars of revenue, because it would provide employment for Canadians and would permit liquor shipments to leave openly for the United States, not through St. Pierre, Miquelon and other backdoor routes.

Repeal of the export ban, said Mr. King, would place the government of Canada in the position of "knowingly and openly aiding and abetting smugglers in the violation of the laws of a friendly and neighboring country." It would encourage rum-running along the Canadian frontier, making Windsor and other border points a base for criminal operations, and "if we are reduced in this country to a position where we can get our revenue and provide employment only by becoming partners in the rum-running business, things have come to a strange pass."

Doping Race Horses

Call Attention To The Matter In Alberta Legislature

Edmonton, Alberta.—Doping of horses at race courses in this province will have the effect of killing the sport, warned J. J. Bowles, Liberal, Calgary, when addressing the legislature in the debate on the speech from the throne.

The investigations made by government inspectors showed that there had been drugging of race horses at Victoria Park, in Calgary, and the hon. member said the horsemen who supported such action would be taken to curb the practice.

Speaking of the proposed banter with Russia, Mr. Bowles said private capital might be induced to give the necessary guarantee if no arrangement could be made with the Federal Government.

A Long Sleep

Chicago Woman Has Slumbered For Nine Years

Chicago.—Three hundred and sixty-five days and nights without a known moment of consciousness, 27-year-old Patricia McGuire has slumbered—a puzzle to physicians.

Just a year ago, a doctor was called by an anxious Oak Park family. They could not arouse Patricia, suffering from sleeping sickness.

All doctors have been able to do has been to keep up her physical strength by forced feedings of nourishing liquids. The procedure will be, it was said, continued nursing—and watchful, prayerful waiting.

Ends Long Flight

Buenos Aires.—Capt. James A. Mallon has reached here from Rio de Janeiro, completing the first flight from England to Argentina in seven flying days.

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War Splits Countries

Colombia Has Broken Off Diplomatic Relations With Peru

Boat, Colombia.—Colombia acted to break off diplomatic relations with Peru as a result of the beginning of open warfare in the long threatening fight for possession of Leticia, upper Amazon gateway to the Atlantic Ocean.

The Colombian foreign office handed passports to the personnel of the Peruvian legation here.

In diplomatic usage the arbitrary handing of passports to diplomats of a foreign nation means the breaking off of diplomatic relations.

Lima, Peru.—Peruvian military forces claim to still hold their positions in the disputed Leticia territory after the first clash with a Colombian flotilla that came 2,000 miles up the Amazon river to reassess control over the area.

Cumbersome Procedure

Says Board of Directors Could Accomplish More Than Legislators

Ottawa, Ont.—Parliamentary efficiency experts cast a critical eye over the House of Commons and agreed its procedure was cumbersome and expensive but in a three-hour discussion could not agree on a solution.

An ordinary board of directors would accomplish more in three weeks than parliament accomplished in three months exclaimed Peter McGibbon (Con., Muskoka), when introducing a resolution to establish a committee to consider overhauling parliament customs.

REVENUES FROM CUSTOMS SHOW HEAVY DECLINE

Ottawa, Ont.—Customs and excise revenue of Canada shows a decrease of \$14,856,924 for the six-month period of the present fiscal year as compared with the corresponding period last year. The 10-month period ended with January 31.

Figures issued through the department of national revenue reveal that a net total of \$58,991,628 was collected in customs duties during the 10-month period just ended, a decrease of \$27,261,477, compared to the corresponding period of last year when net customs collections amounted to \$86,253,105.

In the excise tax field collections recorded an increase of \$20,932,644 as compared with the 10-month period of a year ago.

Increased sales tax, etc., produced \$68,330,667 during the 10 months just ended, as compared with \$47,397,920 in the 10 months last year.

Excise duties are down \$5,526,802 to \$33,173,117, as compared with \$41,696,920 in the 10 months ended Jan. 31, 1932.

The amount realized from income tax during the 10 months just ended was \$50,000,774 or \$101,421 less than during the 10 months last year.

Total customs and excise revenue during the 10 months just ended was \$161,574,785.

Red Deer Reduces Mill Rate

Improved Collections and Economy Programme Paved Way

Red Deer, Alta.—Civic authorities have kept their promise to Red Deer taxpayers.

Council voted to reduce the tax rate from 44 mills to 41 mills for 1933 requirements, the first reduction ever made in the tax rate in the city's history. An economy programme and improved tax collections paved the way for the reduction, leaving the city in a first rate financial situation.

House Discusses Court Immunity For Indians

Suggested Changes To Indian Act Arouse Storm Of Disapproval

Ottawa, Ont.—The House of Commons spent two hours discussing its official wards—the Indians. When Hon. T. G. Murphy, Minister of the Interior, introduced a bill to appoint Royal Canadian Mounted Police constables as Indian truant officers and make other changes to the Indian Act, he aroused a storm of disapproval and opened a wide discussion.

The broad subject of the legal responsibility of Indians was introduced by several members, who claimed it was illogical for a red man to be immune from court action when operating an automobile on the highways.

A. W. Nelli, (Ind., Comox-Alberni) asserted he knew of a case in which a white man had been run down by an Indian. Because the Indian was a want of reason, the injured man could get no redress. Also, as the Indian received no protection, he would feel at liberty to go out and do the same thing again.

Mr. Murphy said an Indian using the highways was subject to provincial law, and the authorities could refuse him a license if it was found he was causing persons injury.

Opposition to the blanket appointment of officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police as truant officers was so strong that that particular clause was allowed to stand over.

Canada's Third Best Market

Exports To Holland Totaled \$16,967 During 1932

Ottawa, Ont.—Apture from the United Kingdom and the United States, Canada's best market in 1932 was the Netherlands. Exports to Holland totaled \$16,907,307, compared with \$13,572,765 in 1931 and \$10,843,449 in 1930. Agricultural and vegetable products made up the bulk of the exports, the bureau of statistics reports.

Another European country to which there is a growing export is Belgium. It is the next important market to that of Holland. Last year exports to Belgium totaled in value \$14,948,482 compared with \$14,387,271 in 1931, and \$15,175,985 in 1930. Although in 1932 the value last year was much larger, prices being considerably lower than they were then.

Japan's Withdrawal From League Is Anticipated

Has Ceased Negotiations With Geneva In Manchurian Dispute

Tokyo, Japan.—Japan has served notice it has ceased negotiations with the League of Nations in the Manchurian dispute, but its anticipated withdrawal from League membership was not expected for about a month.

The Tokyo Stock Exchange was closed and those of Osaka and Nagoya also were shut down, owing to a severe slump in prices, caused by indications of increasing anti-Japanese sentiment at Geneva.

It was learned on high authority the government feels withdrawal from the league would be the turning point in the empire's history.

Indian Fund

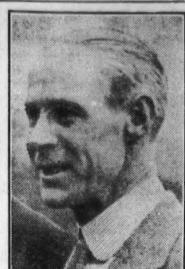
Ottawa, Ont.—In five provinces of Canada the Indian trust fund has been greatly augmented since 1920, according to an answer given in the House of Commons today by Hon. T. G. Murphy, Minister of the Interior.

The largest increase is in Alberta where the trust fund in 1920 stood at \$1,641,324. It is now \$3,036,000. Saskatchewan decreased from \$1,947,502 to \$1,780,401.

New All Mail Service

Ottawa, Ont.—Inauguration of a regular all-mail service between Big River, Sask., and La Crosse, Sask., by way of Green Lake and Beauval was announced today by the post office department. The service will start operation on or about March 16.

"EXPLORATIVE" DELEGATE



It is understood that the British Government proposes to send to the United States next month an expert "explorative" delegation to confer with the United States authorities on War Debt. Sir N. F. Warren Fisher, above, will probably be included in the delegation.

Approves Tribunal Clause

Adoption By Senate's Railway Committee Is Only Tentative

Ottawa, Ont.—The Senate railway committee, without a recorded vote, put the stamp of approval on the clause in the new railway legislation setting up an arbitral tribunal to render decisions in the event of disputes that might arise between the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific Companies in future co-operative efforts.

Although this committee had previously gone through practically the whole of the bill, it passed it for a report to the senate, all amendments relating to the proposed arbitral tribunal were only tentatively adopted pending a final decision as to whether or not any such tribunal would be set up.

Only three members of the committee opposed the tribunal. They were Senators James Murdoch, John Stanfield and F. L. Belz. Senator Murdoch moved an amendment that in place of an arbitral tribunal set up by the act, the disputing companies could set up conciliation boards. The motion was lost 14 to 3.

Subsequently all the amendments and clauses respecting the operations of the tribunal, tentatively adopted, were confirmed.

Disbursements For Relief

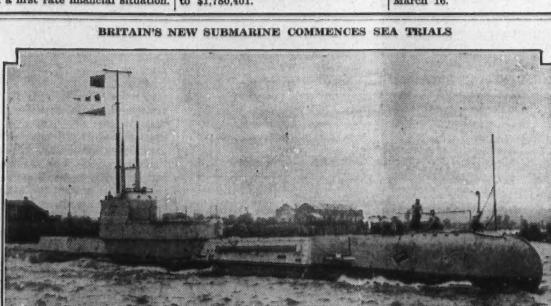
Canada Has Already Paid Eleven Million For Present Fiscal Year

Ottawa, Ont.—The Dominion has so far disbursed about \$11,000,000 for relief for the present fiscal year. Of this amount \$8,000,000 has been for direct relief. The accounts are frequently delayed and the estimate is that the relief for the year ending March 31 next will cost the federal treasury \$25,000,000. The cost for the year before was about \$46,000,000.

The total number receiving relief last month represented a high record of 1,337,562. While the number of unemployed receiving relief is decreasing, the total number of the money this year is for direct relief instead of assisted public works.

The total number receiving relief is approximately 13 per cent of the total population.

BRITAIN'S NEW SUBMARINE COMMENCES SEA TRIALS



Here we see the "Sturgeon," latest addition to the British Navy, gliding out of Gillingham Harbor for the commencement of her sea trials. She is the result of some of the best brains in the Service, and is expected to put up a good show for speed and diving reliability.

Plea For Veregin

Doukhobors Ask Ottawa To Show Clemency To Leader

Brilliant, B.C.—The Union of Youths of Community Doukhobors today delivered a three-barbed protest to Canadian authorities against pending deportation of Peter Veregin II, monarch of all Canada's 15,000 Doukhobors, as Veregin waited at Halifax for the next hearing of his case before Mr. Justice Humphrey Mellish.

The Doukhobor youths, all Canadian-born, sent one message to Prime Minister R. B. Bennett that ended: "Be lenient, otherwise our welfare will lie upon your conscience."

Hon. Wesley A. Gordon, Minister of Immigration, was petitioned to stop Veregin's deportation and Mr. Justice Mellish was informed in a third telegram: "The fate of Peter Veregin is linked with that of 15,000 people and every harsh treatment given him is reflecting upon us all. If Peter Veregin is deported it will be great injustice."

Migration Course Turns

More People Going From Dominions To United Kingdom

London, Eng.—The course of empire migration has turned. For the first time in history, more people are now entering the United Kingdom from the Dominions than are emigrating from the United Kingdom to the Dominions.

Figures submitted in the House of Commons by J. R. Thomas, secretary for the Dominions, show an inward balance for the nine months ending September 30, 1932, of 26,034, made up as follows:

Canada, with Newfoundland, 17,644.

Australia, 3,847.

New Zealand, 1,641.

South Africa, 2,902.

ROOSEVELT HAS NARROW ESCAPE FROM ASSAILANT

Miami, Fla.—A gunman fired a stream of bullets into the party of President-Elect Franklin Roosevelt, wounding Mayor Anton Cermak of Chicago, and four others, but Mr. Roosevelt was unharmed.

A man giving the name of Joe Ziamara, New York, was held as the assassin. Robert E. Goss, Chicago friend of Mr. Roosevelt, quoted the assailant as saying: "I kill all police, kill all officers." His shots also hit Mrs. Joe Gill of Miami; William Simnot of this city; Russel Caldwell, a boy, and Margaret Kreus of Newark, N.J.

Mayor Cermak was hit in the chest. The bullet pierced the body and came out his back. Little hope for his life is held. The Chicago mayor was about 20 feet from the automobile of Mr. Roosevelt in Bayfront Park, and was approaching the machine.

Startled and momentarily stunned by the firing close to his car, Roosevelt waved to the crowd and shouted "I am all right," as he was hurriedly driven away, through the confusion, bearing Cermak to a hospital. The shooting and screams of the victims created momentary pandemonium. Quiet was quickly restored, however.

Mrs. W. F. Cross of Miami, struck the shooter's arm as he lit up with the fifth shot and shoved his elbow into the air. James W. Galloway of that city, and a policeman overpowered the man and shackled him to a car.

Mr. Roosevelt had just concluded speaking from his automobile, standing in Bayfront Park, and had sat down when the shooting opened.

Ordinary crowds surrounded the city police station where the would-be assassin was taken.

The jail was just across the street from the railway station where Roosevelt's train had awaited him.

Bystanders said the prisoner spoke with a decided foreign accent. Mr. Roosevelt, at the hospital, went to the bed of each of the victims before going to the yacht of Vincent Astor to spend the night.

The shooting turned a day of happiness for Roosevelt into one of tragedy. Only three hours before he had cruised into port here on the *Astoria*, tanned and jovial from his fishing cruise.

While deeply moved by the incident he was unruffled. He showed no excitement as his car sped away from the scene.

Gore said he heard the shooter exclaim as he was overpowered: "Well, I got Cermak."

NO IMMEDIATE REMEDY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT

London, Eng.—Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, told the House of Commons that reduction of unemployment to comparatively small figures could not be anticipated within the next 10 years.

The Chancellor was replying to a motion of censure against the government put forward by George Lansbury, veteran Labor leader, on the ground the administration had failed to deal with the unemployment problem. The motion was defeated by 414 votes to 49.

Mr. Lansbury suggested unemployment could be remedied if goods were produced for the "use of mankind" and not for private profit.

Mr. Chamberlain maintained the government was on the right and toward ultimate salvation of the problem with its policy of restoring confidence, raising wholesale prices, providing cheap money and encouraging international co-operation.

He agreed with Mr. Lansbury that displacement of labor was one of the gravest problems facing the world in the immediate future.

The Chancellor's remark that it would be 10 years before unemployment would be reduced to any great extent, drew from Winston Churchill, former Conservative Chancellor, a heated rejoinder that such a prospect was "ghastly" and that if this were the government's last word, the outlook was very grave and lamentable.

Defines Policy As "Ruthless"

Charge Made Against Great Britain Before U.S. Senate Finance Committee

Washington.—"Ruthless" policy by Great Britain to drive down dollar prices in an effort to win war debt cancellation or reduction was charged before the United States Senate finance committee by Rane Leon, of New York, formerly "technical adviser to the House of Representative Coinage" committee.

He said that through the British exchange stabilization fund for purchasing gold currencies in the open market, Great Britain had "the control of dollar exchange and consequently the control of U.S. prices."

"That which Britain would not for one minute countenance from U.S. practices every minute up to U.S. with disastrous consequences to every phase of our economy," Leon said.

"Every man, woman and child in this country is the victim of this ruthless policy."

"Debt cancellation is avowedly Britain's immediate objective," because, Leon continued, "if U.S. can be saddled with the debts, U.S. industry must foot the bill through future taxes."

May Visit States

Ramsay MacDonald Would Confer With Mr. Roosevelt

London, Eng.—A movement for Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald to reach Washington about March 15 for important personal talks with Mr. Roosevelt on the broad lines of the whole future of Anglo-American policy in the field of international affairs gained strength today.

It was expected a decision on his personal mission will be reached soon after Sir Ronald Lindsay, ambassador to the United States, reaches Washington and that it will be largely dependent on whether Mr. Roosevelt desires Mr. MacDonald to make the trip.

U.S. To Take Action

Washington—Reversing its previous action following the effort to assassinate President-elect Roosevelt, the United States House of Representatives judiciary committee favorably reported the Esch-Celler bill for heavy penalties on those who advocate overthrow of the government by force or resistance to federal state officials.

Acquited

Long Beach, California.—William James Guy, youthful Welsh adventurer, was acquitted on a charge of murder in the slaying of Capt. Walter Wanderell aboard the yacht "Carina" last December 5.

Holds Forced Sales

Berlin, Germany.—President Von Hindenburg has signed an emergency decree extending a moratorium on mortgaged estates and farms to the farms to the entire Reich to provide a breathing spell until October 31.

Turning Plague Into Profit

Research Workers Plan To Make Good Soap From Locusts

The world's worst pest, that of the locust, which in Asia and Africa alone regularly invades about 15,000,000 square miles, equal to about 30 per cent. of the land area of the globe, may yet prove a blessing in disguise.

A remarkable instance of how commerce is turning waste into wealth comes from Africa, where it looks as if Tunisia will develop a new industry, and what has previously been regarded as a costly plague will become a source of profit. French research workers have discovered that excellent soap can be made from locusts and it is announced that factories for making this by-product may be established all along the new Trans-Saharan Railway, the project recently authorized by the French government.

Locusts are dried in the sun, and then treated with carbon bisulfide or ethyl chloride, according to their degree of dryness. The oil thus obtained is then purified by steam and used for making soap. In addition, French fertilizing firms have been negotiating with the government for the purchase of dead locusts, which will be salted and dried for export.

Although the peril from the pest is thousands of years old, up to the present locusts have defied every device of man to conquer them. This year a locust barrier of 10,000,000 feet of wire netting was stretched across Northern Central Argentina, and in the Sudan, where invasion is an hourly possibility, about 700 tons of poison are kept stored at strategic points.

France, Italy, and delegates from the British empire not long ago held a conference at Rome to consider schemes of international co-operation against the pests. London is now recognized as the international research centre. Information on the movements of locusts is now being received from 16 empire and 25 foreign countries by the Imperial Institute. Entomology, and analyzed there in order to trace the origin of locust swarms, the routes of their invasions, and the probable cause of the outbreaks.—World-Wide News Service, Inc.

Use Canadian Ports

Diverting Of Trade Through Domestic Ports Is Noted

"One of the outstanding accomplishments of Canada in 1922 was the diversion to a large extent of Canadian trade through domestic ports in keeping with the frequently enunciated policy of Hon. H. H. Stevens, Minister of Trade and Commerce," says the weekly review issue by that department. "This was most noticeable in the exports of wheat."

The review shows that of the 138,407,849 bushels of wheat cleared from the beginning of the crop year, August 1, to the end of January, nearly 90 per cent. passed through Canadian ports as compared with 80 per cent of 83,575,095 bushels cleared in the corresponding period of the preceding crop year.

Clearances through Montreal showed an increase of 80 per cent. and through Pacific coast ports, an increase of nearly 63 per cent. The quantity of wheat cleared through maritime ports was nearly seven times greater than in the previous year.

Clearances through the new port of Churchill increased from 544,769 bushels to 2,736,030 bushels while those through United States ports dropped from 16,741,000 bushels to 15,542,000 bushels.

Air Service To Canada

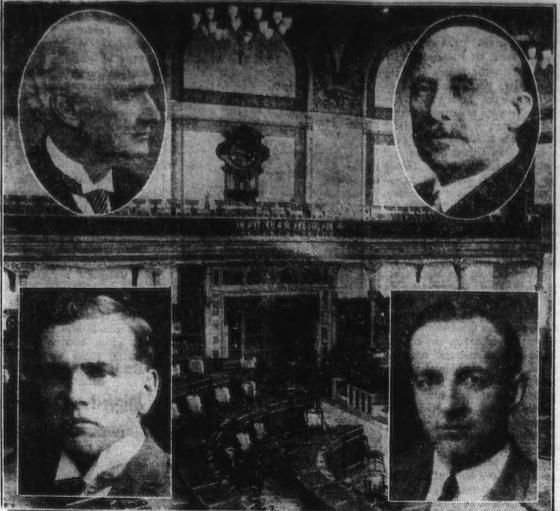
Probability of a regular British air service across the Atlantic within two or three years was forecast by Sir Eric Geddes, chairman of Imperial Airways, Limited. The service would connect up with Canada and possibly parts of the empire in the Pacific Ocean. Sir Eric was also confident there would be a seven-day service from London to Cape Town within two years.

A scientist declares that if he really wishes for a certain person to come to him, that person always arrives. We wouldn't mind betting he has never tried this little trick in our restaurant.

The instance of a legless South Carolina man driving a car after being denied a license, recalls the number of headless persons who do the same thing.

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REDISTRIBUTION BILL—NO NEW TAXATION—FEATURES IN ONTARIO LEGISLATURE



With the opening of the new Ontario Legislature, several important bills come before the House. One of the most prominent is the redistribution bill which will reduce the Ontario Parliament membership at least twenty-two seats. The Prime Minister suggested that there would be no new taxation unless absolutely vital as a moderate deficit was not anticipated at higher levies. Above, top left, is His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, Dr. Bruce, who opened the Legislature for the first time since taking over the office. Top right is the Hon. G. S. Henry, Prime Minister, while bottom, left and right, are W. E. N. Sinclair and H. C. Nixon, leaders of the Opposition parties. The main picture shows the interior of the Legislature looking towards the Speaker's Gallery. The members' seats are arranged in the shape of a horseshoe.

Secluded In Le, er Camp

Five Women and Four Men At Lazaretto in New Brunswick

Stricken by the scourge most dreaded in the history of man and doomed to seclusion within the bounds of the Lazaretto at Tracadie, New Brunswick, are nine lepers, five women and four men, from various points in Canada.

Most of the patients are above middle age. One a veteran, contracted the disease in France, but a diagnosis of his trouble was not made until three years later. Last summer a Chinese was discharged from the institution as cured and deported to his native country.

The Lazaretto at this village, overlooking the Gulf of St. Lawrence from the north shore of New Brunswick, and one in British Columbia, are the only two institutions of their type in Canada. They are maintained by the Dominion Government.

Leprosy originated in New Brunswick in 1758, according to the most commonly accepted theory. At that time the French vessel "Indienne," which had been in the Levant trade, stranded near the Miramichi River. The plague broke out shortly after the seamen began mingling with the people. Many fishermen of the district died from the disease, and others, panic-stricken, fled to points along the coast. Later, the plague appeared at Caraquet, Tracadie and elsewhere. Finally, in 1812, all lepers were ordered by law to be taken to Sheldrake Island, at the mouth of the Miramichi. Then the establishment was moved to its present site at Tracadie.

For many years the lepers remained uncared for and lived under revolting conditions. At last the Dominion Government took a hand in the matter, and in 1868 the Hotel Dieu of Montreal went to Tracadie to devote their lives to the unfortunate.

The Lazaretto has been remodeled and renovated several times. It is a thoroughly modern institution, with well lighted and ventilated, spacious wards. At one time more than 40 lepers were congregated here. Between 1910 and 1920, 14 new patients were admitted and 21 died.

Euden Crew Honored

A huge laurel wreath preserved in a block of ice arrived at Berlin on the steamer "Magadanburg," a gift of the Australian Government to the German navy. It is in recognition of the heroism of the crew of the famous cruiser "Euden" which was sunk by the Australian cruiser "Sydney," Nov. 9, 1914.

Stage Manager (discussing chorus girl who has been given a small singing part)—"Well, what do you think of her?"

Producer—"A peach—but no Melba."

"Our economics prof talks to him—Self does yours?"

"Yes, but he doesn't realize it—he thinks we're listening."

A Lost Continent

Seeking To Find Atlantis in the Sahara Desert

Speculating on the whereabouts of the lost continent of Atlantis is a venerable pastime, though the most popular theory hitherto has been that it lies somewhere underneath the broad waters of the Atlantic Ocean with islands like Tenerife, perhaps, representing the mountain peaks of its long-vanished territory. A French professor, however, is now setting off to look for Atlantis in the Hoggar Mountains of the Sahara. If he finds it there this speculative region may be regarded as rescued from a watery grave and transferred to land which is even drier than usual. Some of the old tales used to place the Elysian Fields in Atlantis, but this is not the idea which most people now associate with the Sahara. However, there are some grounds for assuming that the Sahara became a desert within comparatively recent times and the history of the world goes, and perhaps it was in the earlier times that the Hoggar Mountains acquired the more amiable traditions which hang round the Lost Atlantis.

In any event this seems quite a reasonable moment to go looking for new continents. Most of the old ones have the air of being a little worse for wear, and if we could rediscover one that had been lost for seven or eight thousand centuries there might be a chance for someone to make a fresh start there, unimpeded by the political and pecuniary problems which are making most of man's older addresses look a little mouldy and moth-eaten.—The Manchester Guardian Weekly.

Wider Markets For Canadian Tobacco

Product Is Now Being Shipped To Many Countries

Progress has been made in the production of high quality tobacco in Canada during the past five years. This is exemplified by the interest other countries have shown in the Canadian product. In 1927 the total exports of unmanufactured Canadian leaf tobacco amounted to 5,867,478 pounds; in 1928 it rose to 9,614,000 pounds for the first eleven months, January to November inclusive. If the December shipments in 1928 are added to complete the 12-months, the total is brought up to 10,436,464 pounds.

In 1927 the only countries purchasing Canadian tobacco were the British Isles, Netherlands and the United States. The bulk of these deliveries were made to Britain. In 1928 the total exports had not only nearly doubled but the countries interested in Canadian leaf tobacco included the United Kingdom, Barbados, Sierra Leone, Jamaica, Gambia, Belgium and the United States.

A feature of this expanded market has been the change in the type of tobacco being shipped. In 1927 and 1928 the bulk of tobacco exported was Burley. In 1929 and 1930 this has largely been supplanted by bright fine-cured tobacco, grown in Southern Ontario. Improvement in the growing and curing of Canadian tobacco has been largely due to the work of the Tobacco Division of the Canadian Government Experimental Farms. The Experimental Farm at Harrow, Ontario, specializes in tobacco culture.

Operating Seventy Years

Metropolitan Was First Underground Railway In World

The London Metropolitan Railway, the first underground railway in the world to be constructed, has celebrated its 70th birthday. In January, 1863, Lord Gladstone and a distinguished company were drawn in open trucks through the first tunnels, and afterwards partook of a banquet at Farringdon Street Station. There were apprehensions at the time of the opening of the railway that passengers would be suffocated by the fumes.

Plenty of people still living who remember the underground in their school days will agree that these apprehensions were by no means groundless. Until comparatively recent years the trains were drawn by ordinary steam locomotives, and the smoke which gathered in the tunnels used to belch forth the whole of the day into the railway stations. Carriages were lighted by flickering oil lamps. All this was changed when the present Metropolitan and District Railways were converted to electric power.

One of Greenland's two wireless stations, that at Scoresby, has burned down.

February, on the average, is the least rainy month of London's year.

Gardening Notes

By Gordon Lindsay Smith.

Days are growing longer, sunshine warmer, and on the hillsides sloping to the south the snow is gone and the ground begins to steam at noon. Seed catalogues and the new birds have arrived and old gardeners are beginning to plan before the fire. We would be well advised to follow their example which promises satiisfactory results can be achieved in growing flowers and vegetables where one looks into the thing before work actually begins, while it is practically hopeless to attempt any comprehensive scheme without a good plan, well studied and roughly drawn to scale.

Flower Plans

There is a lot of fun in planning our lay-out now and of trying to picture just how this will look when matured. We think of changes, or adding a path or a trellis, perhaps of some new colors, of developing another vista from the porch or living-room window, or of softening or improving some harsh lines that are too apparent in our present scheme.

Like the fisherman, we have almost as much pleasure in making our preparations as we have when we actually get under way.

It is a good thing to make out a rough plan on paper. Notes must also be made of color, height and time of blooming. Each garden will have its own peculiarities and it is well that such should be the case as it allows us a splendid opportunity of developing individuality, a most important factor in these days of standardized living. There are bound to be certain dark corners where we have had trouble before, but when we realize that there is a mixture of grass especially adapted to growing in shady places and that there are certain flowers such as tuberous-rooted Begonias, Pansies, Godetia, Lobelia, Clarkia and Foxglove, which actually prefer to get away from the full sun, the job of handling such spots is simplified.

Then, there are hot, dry corners where nothing but weeds seem to thrive. There are flowers for this location also, the Portulaca and Nasturtium, for instance, asking nothing better. A few Nicotiana, Evening Stock, Mignonette and similar flowers will thrive in a little special plot, down behind the regular borders, where a supply of flowers are grown for bouquet purposes. These are a few of the points to remember when we take up pencil, seed catalogue and, perhaps, a Government Bulletin tonight and let our thoughts run wild on what we are really going to do this time.

Vegetables

The great fault with most vegetable gardens in Canada is that they lack variety. But we can have just as many different kinds here as in the showy part of the garden if we treat it in the same way by being on a steady look-out for new things, earlier and better varieties and the development of a continuous supply from the first spinach and radish in the spring until the Brussels Sprouts in December. As a general rule, vegetables, and in the case of staple crops like corn, peas, lettuce, beets, beans and carrots, two or three types should be used. By handling the vegetable end of the garden in this way the supply is increased and the season extended.

Fish By Air

Rapid Transit In North Hurries Delivery To Points East and South

Within half an hour after fish are caught in the lakes of Northern Manitoba they are delivered to a point by aeroplane on the Hudson Bay Railway, 35 miles away, for transit from The Pas, Man., by rail to cities in Canada and the United States where they are in demand. Formerly the 35-mile journey by horse outfit and tractor took two days over rough trails.

The inland fisheries of Canada are among the country's most valuable industries. Fish caught in large quantities for the market in Manitoba come from Lake Winnipeg, Lake Winnipegosis, Lake Manitoba and the smaller lakes. White fish and pickerel are the chief fish caught, but pike, tulibee, goldeye, and several other varieties are plentiful.

Because swarms of locusts in Brazil made the rails so slippery that trains were delayed, locomotives have been fitted with special brushes to clear the lines.

The Chinese minister of railways is expected to give his consent to the making of an automobile road on the Great Wall of China.

FANCIFUL FABLES



Audrey's Adventures

Probability of a regular British air service across the Atlantic within two or three years was forecast by Sir Eric Geddes, chairman of Imperial Airways, Limited. The service would connect up with Canada and possibly parts of the empire in the Pacific Ocean. Sir Eric was also confident there would be a seven-day service from London to Cape Town within two years.

A scientist declares that if he really wishes for a certain person to come to him, that person always arrives. We wouldn't mind betting he has never tried this little trick in our restaurant.

The instance of a legless South Carolina man driving a car after being denied a license, recalls the number of headless persons who do the same thing.

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HE HAD TO REDUCE**Easiest Way Proved the Best**

A man who had been advised by his doctor to reduce, wrote thus: "I have put on weight to the extent of 206 lbs. This was excessive. My doctor advised me to reduce, and I tried dieting and exercises, but however, was too fatigued—and I am a very busy man. I then saw an announcement about Kruschen Salts, bought a little and continued taking it right along. Last Saturday I weighed myself, and to my surprise and delight I had reduced my weight from 206 lbs to 199 lbs. My health generally is good, I sleep well, and eat regularly. I have told the good news to my friends who are putting on weight."—W.H.R.

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HEART OF THE NORTH

By

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CHAPTER VI.—Continued.

Her heart leaped at the thought, and her whole manner toward Alan changed. She drew near him, slipped an arm about him; and a softness came into her voice.

"I'm sorry to be out. I'm sorry to see you hurt. You didn't want to leave here. Alan, I—I did want you to; but I wouldn't have insisted. I'd given in to you dear, before I'd seen you unhappy. Now you won't be long run; we'll not regret; it'll be the best for us."

Alan watched the candle sheen in her hair, the sunburst hair that always brought him poignant memories of her brother Curt. His thoughts, leaping ahead to his lone-handed venture, were scarcely with her at all; yet he was bewildered by her sudden change, her ardent affection. There had been times when affection from her would have cheered and heartened him; but now her lip, inviting him, asking for his own, meant less than the pack lying at his feet.

She asked him: "And now—you're going to take—we'll be down in Victoria, now? Won't Colonel Steele be glad when he hears! You'll write to him right away?"

"I suppose so. Yes, I'm going to take that job. Not much else to turn to."

She noticed how cold, how unmoved he was; and she went on, half-whispering:

"On our way outside, we can be married at Edmonton, and have that trip we planned to the Blackfoot Selkirks. And we'll have—we can afford to have now—a cabin back in Vancouver Island; back in the mountains by ourselves, Alan."



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He merely said, gesturing at the above: "I'm leaving Curt's keepsakes here. You'll watch after them, won't you?" And he added, "I'm leaving here tonight, Elizabeth."

"Leaving here? Tonight?" Her eyes went to the pack on the floor. Suddenly startled, she looked up at him again.

Feeling that he owed some explanation to the girl he was engaged to, he partly explained: "I'm pitching off on a trip, Elizabeth. By myself. I'm going after those men that shot up two of my friends. Haskell blocked a patrol I wanted to make. To go after them I had to be free. I don't know how long it'll take me. Maybe three weeks, maybe six. I'd like for you to wait here."

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She acquiesced: "I'll wait, dear. I'll wait here for you. But, Alan, before you go . . ." She stood on tiptoe, reproaching him, begging, "Aren't you going to tell me good-bye?"

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"That's what I did, Bill. He busted me, blamed me. What's worse, he wouldn't let us make the Inconnu trip. I couldn't stand that. I'm out. Leaving Endurance. Right now."

Bill's face turned gray. His jaw dropped, he stood in stupefied shock, with a look of misery on his blunt, broad-featured face.

"You're leaving—us," he gulped. "You're pitchin' away—for good. You always stood up for us men, against Haskell. You and me . . . pretty good partners. . . . Now you won't be here any more, Alan"

"Bill, shake yourself together and listen. I'm going after those bandits. There's some things you've got to do for me. One is, I want you to cut aside from patrols whenever you can and visit Joyce and see she's safe. Another thing, I'm giving you this cabin and what's in it, except for a little personal stuff that I'll get some time or else send for. Then, there's one last thing. Got any free time coming in the next couple weeks?"

"I don't know. Yes, must have three or four days—way we've been hitting the ball all winter."

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Birds Covered 5,000 Miles In Northern Manitoba Last Year

Although carrier pigeons of the forestry department branch in northern Manitoba flew 5,000 miles with messages during the last year, only five birds were lost, according to Robert S. Harvey, who is in charge of fire prevention in The Pas area.

There were 61 pigeons in the loft at Cormorant Lake, Mile 42, Hudson Bay Highway. Last year 20 birds were hatched. Ten suffered casualties in training. Two birds were carried on every flight made by aeroplanes.

The birds carried messages from Nor'West, Heron Lake, Winnipegosis, Cedar Lake, Heron Lake and Cold Lake. The loss of five birds is considered small, as flying is hazardous in the north, where settlements are few, where the smoke of forest fires interferes with birds on their course and where hawks are ever watching for an opportunity to swoop down on smaller birds.

To Save Gas

Greece Has Formulated Fina Whereby Cars Operate on Alternative Fuels

All the automobiles in Greece can operate on Sunday, but the rest of the week half of them must remain idle.

Under the new way of saving fuel cars with even numbered license plates are allowed to operate on Monday, Wednesday and Friday; those with odd numbered plates on Tuesday, Thursday, and Saturday.

Claiming to be the oldest trading concern in the world, a firm in Stockholm, Sweden, is displaying documents over 700 years old to prove that it has been doing business since the twelfth century.

The earth is more than 570,000,000 years old, a research by the department of chemistry of the University of Missouri has established.

The first directory of London had a royal origin, being started by Charles I, who wanted a list of citizens who could loan him money.

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"Wherefore, if God so clothe the grass of the field, that today is, and tomorrow is cast into the oven, shall He not much more clothe you? O ye of little faith!"—Matthew 6:30.

"I trust in the mercy of God forever and ever."—Psalm 62:8.

Calmly we look behind us, on joys and sorrows past;

We know that all is misery now and shall be not at least;

Calmly we look before us—we fear no future ill.

Enough for safety and peace if Thou art with us still.

Jane Borthwick.

I saw a delicate flower had grown up two feet high, between the horse's hoof and the wheel track. An inch or more to right or left would have sealed its fate, or an inch higher, and yet it lived to flourish as much as though it had a thousand acres of unbroken space around it, and never knew the danger it incurred. It did not borrow trouble or invite an evil fate by apprehending it.—Henry D. Thoreau.

Average Voter

The average Canadian knows at 19 how he is going to vote at 20. Dr. E. W. Patterson, president of Acadia University, told a Halifax service club. The great majority of the population is influenced by habitual or emotional reactions and guided more by party loyalties than by intelligence, he said. Four out of five did not know what they were voting for in normal times.

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Ed. Gregory, now living in Calgary, came to Crossfield region in 1900—when there was not any Crossfield—and started in the cattle business on Stony Creek, about six miles north-east of what is now Crossfield.

He remained here for several years where he was success ful in the cattle business. Selling his land to P. G. Swann, and moving to B.C., but did not remain there for any great length of time, again returning to Alberta.

P. G. Swann in turn sold his land in the early days of the Great War and returned to England.

Mr. Whittaker came from Wetaskiwin many years ago, and farmed for some time in the floral region. Later he moved to Western Oregon and again back to Alberta, and now resides near Drumheller.

G. T. Jones came to this country in 1902 and went into the cattle business on the Rosebud, about fourteen miles by trail, east of town. After several successful years ranching, he, some few years ago returned to Wales.

The late T. H. E. McGee located on the Rosebud about 1902. He was home-stead Inspector for some years.

Samuel Fleming, along with his brother, arrived at Crossfield in 1902, with several carloads of cattle from Ontario, and located three miles south-west of town, where "Sam" lived until a few years ago, moving one mile north of town, where he now resides.

After remaining here for a short time, he moved to B.C. There were two sisters who lived with "Sam" until about the time he married.

The late D. D. Wible and family arrived at Airdrie in the spring of 1904, and taking up temporary residence about one mile west of Airdrie until he had buildings erected on his land east of the Rosebud, to which he moved during the summer.

Merrick Thomas came to Alberta with the Wible family, and also located east of the Rosebud. They came from Essex County, Ontario, where nearly all old timers are Wible's or relatives.

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"The Man Who Made Good"
Plays to Packed House

A packed house witnessed the comedy-drama "The Man Who Made Good" on Wednesday night. This play was presented by the Bills' Dramatic Society of Calgary, under the auspices of the Anglican Church Vestry.

The play was advertised as the laugh hit of the season and it certainly was. In fact we got far more kick out of this show than we did out of Chautauqua.

Annual Meeting Municipal District of Beaver Dam

The annual meeting of the Municipal District of Beaver Dam was held in the Jackson School on Saturday last. The school was packed, even standing room was taken-up.

Reduction of expenditures was the main topic of discussion.

Mr. Ernest Beddoes read the report received from the Department of Municipal Affairs. The report in part, showed discrepancies and the practice of carrying over current liabilities to the following year, not giving a true statement of affairs for the District.

This report was the result of a special meeting of the ratepayers held in the Beaver Dam Hall on April 4th, when R. English, Deputy Minister, was present.

Councillor J. S. Jarman made a suggestion that the Secretary-Treasurer's salary be reduced to \$1,000 a year.

Mr. Gilreath was in favor of a straight 50 per cent horizontal cut in such expenses as the Council have control over.

It was moved by George Leak and carried unanimously, that, when the rate for School District is struck by the Sheriff, that District be represented by a voter.

Mr. Parker asked his perennial question—"How much commission for hail insurance, etc. was paid to the Secretary to augment his salary?" But he again failed to get a reply.

NOMINATIONS

Division 1—Wm. Maries and J. R. Gies.

Division 5—W. Harder, re-elected by acclamation.

Division 7—Geo. Haig and W. Dagoff.

Election in Divisions 1 and 7 will take place on Saturday next.

Card of Thanks

We wish to convey through the columns of the Chronicle, our sincere appreciation of every thoughtful action and kindly expression of sympathy extended to us in our sad bereavement.

McCaskill Family.

"Why don't you like those Iricana girls?" asked one Crossfield fellow of another. "They are too biased," was the reply. "What do you mean, biased?" the other asked. "Oh, bias this and bias that until I'm basted," was the reply.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Simpson, Cartair, a daughter, Feb. 18, a daughter.

BORN—To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McArthur, Dog Pound, on Feb. 19, a son.

We have just received a new shipment of Birthday Cards, also bridge and five hundred score pads and tally cards—The Chronicle Stationery Store.

Church of the Ascension (ANGLICAN)

Sunday, February 26th.

Holy Communion - 9:00 a.m.

Ash Wednesday, March 1st.

Holy Communion - 10:30 a.m.

J.W.A. every Monday after school.

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THURSDAY, FEB 16th, 1933.

Local News

Gordon Young of Academy spent the week-end in town.

R. Miller of Irricana has rented the Bolick farm east of town.

Duncan Cameron was operated on for appendicitis on Friday last.

Mrs. Frank Ruddy was a visitor in Calgary on Saturday.

Constable J. S. Jarman is confined to his home through illness.

H. J. Jobson, auctioneer of Balzac, was a visitor in town on Monday.

Leonard Beddoes has purchased a new Ford truck from the local dealer L. Farr.

Mrs. J. R. MacAulay, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Miller, returned to Calgary on Friday.

Miss Edith Seville and Miss Alice Collicutt were weekend visitors in Calgary.

Rev. H. Young and F. Purvis are attending a meeting of the Presbytery at Olds today (Thursday).

Paul Allan of Airdrie sold nine head of Hereford bull calves to the Guichon Ranching Co. of Guichon, B.C.

Henry Johnson has resigned his position at the Crossfield Garage. Fred Collins is now working in his stead.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Jones announced the engagement of their daughter Alice Leona to Mr. John Edgar English.

Walter Spivey was able to return to work on Monday, after being laid up for the past three weeks with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Toss. Green and family left on Monday for Calgary where they will in future reside.

Miss Florence Patmore of Calgary is visiting her sister, Mrs. Everett Bills.

Mrs. Critchuksha who has been at Wayne, following the death of her mother, returned home on Saturday.

The Ladies Aid of the United Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Halliday on March 1st at 3 p.m.

Miss Grace Williams, teacher at Hill School, was confined to her home here during the past week with a severe attack of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Scott and family of Macleod moved into the Jessiman house on Monday. Mr. Scott recently rented the Patmore Garage.

Keep in mind the auction sale of young horses, well broken, weighing from 1350 to 1500 lbs at the Stock Yards, Crossfield on March 9th.

The Native Sons' and Daughters' Association are holding their banquet and dance in the U. F. A. hall on Monday, February 27th.

Mrs. J. S. Jarman who has been convalescing in Calgary following her recent sojourn in the Holy Cross Hospital, was sufficiently recovered to enable her to return home on Tuesday.

Miss Peggy Cavendar of Calgary was a weekend visitor in town.

Rev. and Mrs. Young and children, and Mrs. Wm. Urquhart went to Calgary on Monday to see that great picture "The Sign of the Cross."

The Native Sons and Daughters' Association announces that the membership to this Association, has been reduced from \$1.00 a year to 50 cents a year.

Prize winners at the weekly card party held at the Oneil school on Friday last were: Ladies first, Miss Jean Smart; gent's first, John Chalmers; consolation prizes going to Mrs. Lilley and Albert Butterman.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Price met with a painful accident on Thursday last when coasting down a hill on a sled, he ran into a fence, breaking his leg in two places.

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